## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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ELECTROLYTIC PROCESSING APPARATUS AND ELECTROLYTIC PROCESSING METHOD Mail Stop: Amendment

## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 28, 2008, a Petition for a three-month extension of time being submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows.